

NOTICE OF INTENT TO  
AMEND AND ADOPT ADMINISTRATIVE RULES  
RELATING TO STANDARDS OF QUALITY FOR WATER  
OF THE STATE

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TAKE NOTICE that the North Dakota Department of Health is soliciting views and will hold a public information and hearing on the Standards of Quality for Waters of the State, N.D. Administrative Code Chapter 33-16-02.1.

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The purpose of the solicitation and hearing is to begin the Department's triennial review of the Standards of Quality for Waters of the State, as required by 33 U.S.C. § 1313(c). Specifically, the Department is providing an opportunity for citizens and stakeholders to present recommendations, voice concerns and provide input for considerations, amendments, and additions to the Standards of Quality for Waters of the State N.D. Admin. Code ch. 33-16-02.1. The hearing will be held at the North Dakota Department of Health, 918 Divide Avenue, Bismarck, ND 58501-1947, on Month Day, 2019 at 5:30 p.m. CT.

**Commented [WH4]:** Consider adding: This review is being conducted to evaluate the need to update or revise North Dakota's WQS in order to remain consistent with state and federal law. The review will ensure North Dakota's WQS continue to reflect the best available science that improves and protects the water resources of the state.

The Standards of Quality for Waters of the State may be viewed at the North Dakota Department of Health, 918 East Divide Ave. Bismarck, ND 58501 or on the Department's website at [ [HYPERLINK "http://www.ndhealth.gov"](http://www.ndhealth.gov) ]. A copy of the standards may be requested by writing the above address or by calling the Department at 701-328-5210. Written or oral comments on the proposed amendments received by Month Day, 2019 will be fully considered.

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**Commented [WH8]:** Consider adding: If you plan to attend the public hearing and will need special facilities or assistance relating to a disability, please contact the Department at the above address or telephone number at least seven days prior to the public hearing.

Dated this XX<sup>th</sup> day of Month 2019.

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